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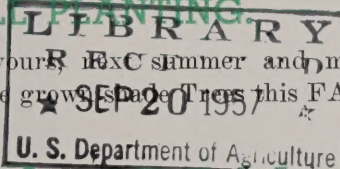
Barr's Nurseries

PARTIAL FALL PRICE LIST 1957

Leading In Top Quality Nursery Material For 64 Years

SHADE TREES, EVERGREENS, ROSES,
FLOWERING SHRUBS, PEONIES AND
GROUND COVERINGS ONE OF OUR LEADING
SPECIALTIES FOR FALL PLANTING

Shade, these hot summer days can be yours, too. In summer and many
summers to come by planting our carefully home grown Shade Trees this FALL.
Not high priced.



**FALL is the IDEAL
TIME TO PLANT**

**Come in and make your selection now
while the Trees are in foliage.**

Varieties listed herein contain only a por-
tion of our Landscape material for your
selection. Our complete, annual descriptive
34 page catalog will be out early March 1958.

In the meantime please let us quote on your
want lists not included in this folder.



For a Fine Lawn . . . Sow Barr's Quality Lawn Seed

To start a new lawn or rejuvenating an old one, the
best results are obtained by seeding late August, Septem-
ber and October.

One pound will sow 250 to 300 square feet of lawn.
Barr's Lawn Seed is especially prepared and free from
chaff and weed seeds, containing only the best fine growing
grasses.

There is absolutely no Timothy or coarse grass in any
of our formulas.

BARR'S SUNNYSIDE

Finest Lawn Seed Mixture

This is a combination of the most desirable permanent grasses
—dwarf, close-growing, fine-leaved—producing a good green
lawn even in dry weather. As the chief ingredient of a good
lawn is superfine Kentucky Blue Grass there is a large propor-
tion of this ideal grass in this mixture. No Timothy nor Rye
nor coarse-bladed annual grasses are used to cheapen this mix-
ture. It will germinate quickly and provide a neat, permanent
lawn. Besides the Kentucky Blue Grass other varieties included
are fine leaved perennial grasses and some Chewing's Fescue,
a higher-priced grass that holds weeds in check much better than
other varieties.

1 lb., \$1.40; 5 lbs., \$6.50; 10 lbs., \$12.50; 25 lbs., \$27.50; 100
lbs., \$105.00.

BARR'S FANCY WHITE

Dutch Clover

Fancy re-cleaned seed. Excellent for lawns. Mix 2 to 4
ounces with each pound of above named mixtures if you want
Clover on the lawn.

¼ lb., 60c; ½ lb., \$1.00; 1 lb. \$1.70.



PLUME RETINOSPORA

CLOSING OUT—SPECIAL OFFER Retinospora—Green and Gold tinted

For years they were one of our popular
Evergreens for foundation planting. Because
they grew too rapidly for this purpose, the slow-
er growing Taxus and Hollies have taken their
place.

The Retinospora serves the purpose of the
slow growing types of Evergreens for Hedges,
Screens and Windbreaks. We are now offering
them at greatly reduced prices in several sizes.

Special 2-3' trees listed at \$4.50 each reduced
to \$2.50 each, \$24.00 per 10.

BARR'S FINEST SHADY SIDE

Lawn Seed Mixture

Composed of shade-loving permanent varieties of fine-
leaved grasses—no Timothy. Included are fine-leaved peren-
nial grasses, which have proved best adapted for situations of
a difficult nature due to shade.

1 lb., \$1.40; 5 lbs., \$6.50; 10 lbs., \$12.50; 25 lbs., \$27.50; 100
lbs., \$105.00.

Feed lawns under trees heavily two times a year—spring
and early fall. Failure under trees is due more to competition
of tree roots than shade. Using Agrico Fertilizer will be a help
—better still, plant Pachysandra or Ivy, producing a beautiful
ground cover summer and winter.

Barr's Gift Certificate

A Living Plant is always appreciated

Remember your friends with a growing Tree, Rose Plants,
Evergreens or other plants, for Anniversaries, Easter Gifts,
Christmas, Birthdays and other occasions. Gift Certificate can
be written for plants, your selection or value in merchandise,
the recipients making their own selection from our catalog.

We will send the Gift Certificate to the Recipient, (or to you,
the donor, if you prefer), so as to arrive on the date desired,
and fill the order at once, or at a seasonable time to plant in the
garden or lawn.

Penna. Customers Please Add 3% Sales Tax

EVERBLOOMING HYBRID TEA ROSES—For Fall Planting

**First Size Selected 2 Year Northern Field Grown
Plants Guaranteed to Bloom the First Blooming
Season or Free Replacement**

They include the most indispensable of the time-tested standard varieties and the best of the patented offerings. Our Spring 1958 Catalog will include additional 1957 introductions.

Two Year Field grown Rose plants are graded in first, second and third sizes. To maintain our reputation for quality—we quote first size plants only, not the lowest price, but more dollar value. All roses fully guaranteed.

Full planting and cultural directions furnished with each order.

ORDER EARLY to receive your plants in time for Fall Planting, beginning November 1st.

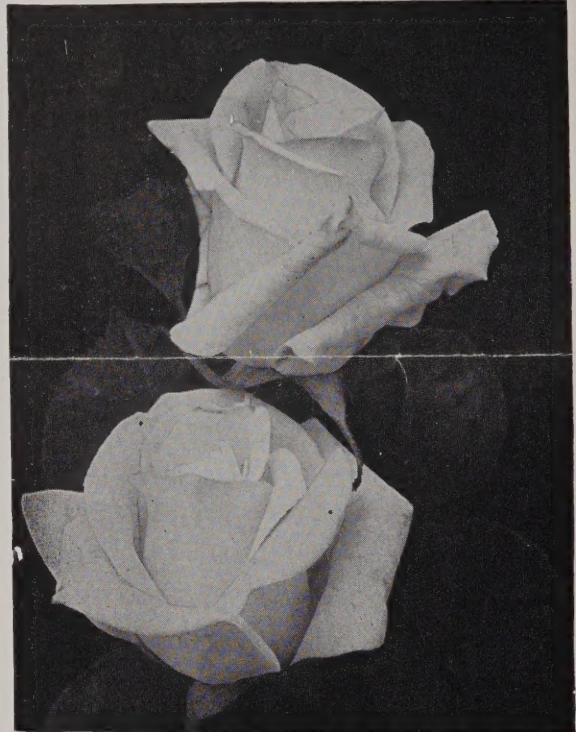
SHIPPING CONDITIONS—Roses prepaid on orders for \$5.00 or over. On orders less than \$5.00 please add 40c for Postage and handling charge. Kindly indicate whether substitutions may be made should any variety be exhausted.

Hardy Climbing Roses

Blaze—Scarlet Crimson	1.50	1.30
Dr. J. H. Nicolas Pat. 457—Rose Pink	2.00	1.75
King Midas Pat. 586—Buff-yellow	2.00	1.75
New Dawn—Flush Pink	1.60	1.40

Everblooming Climbing Roses

Crimson Glory Pat. 736—Deep Crimson	2.50	2.20
High Noon Pat. 704—Golden Yellow	2.50	2.20
Talisman Climber—Shaded, orange, yellow, red	1.60	1.40



PRES. HERBERT HOOVER

Roses are greatly benefitted by the use of Peat Moss

Peat Moss. (Ground) Applied as mulch, conserves moisture, keeps down weeds, mellows and acidifies the soil and beautifies at the same time. Water well before and immediately after applying as a mulch. 1 bale covers 125 sq. ft. to depth of 2 inches. 7 bu. Bale \$5.00; 4 bu. Bale \$3.00; 2 bu. \$2.00.

Michigan Peat Moss. Nature's Finest Soil Builder — Organic soil conditioner or for a garden top dressing. 1 Peck 90c, 25 lbs. \$1.69, 100 lbs. \$4.49.

Barr's Late Introductions Bearded Iris

Best planted in the Fall.

Fortunately they are not partial as to soil or location and will flourish in semi-shade. They are easily grown and do well planted in groups or in borders.

Extremely hardy species having the beauty and structure of the orchid. In planting avoid fresh manure and plant only deep enough to cover the roots. Divide every other year.

Casa Morena. Large glowing coppery chestnut-brown.

Chivalry. Beautiful robin egg blue.

Pink Cameo. Fresh, pure cameo-pink.

Russet Wings. Smooth copper and apricot combination.

Arab Chief. Brilliant rich burnt orange.

Garden Flame. Rich rosy garnet, tinted brown.

Solid Mahogany. Deep-flowered mahogany red.

Garden Magic. Glorious deep red.

California Gold. Deep yellow.

Dominion. Gorgeous lavender velvet.

Jake. White.

Mme. Ulman. Light blue.

Camp Fire. Glowing bronze.

Cascade Splendor. Ruffled pink, tan and apricot blend.

New Snow. Pure white.

Any of the above \$1.00 each; 3 plants, your selection \$2.50.

Everblooming Hybrid Tea Roses

First Size 2 Year Field Grown Dormant Plants for Fall Planting

Prices for Fall 1957

	Each	Price 3 or more your Selection
Blanche Mallerin Pat. 594—Pure White	\$2.25	\$2.00
Buccaneer Pat. 1119—Deep Yellow	2.50	2.25
Chrysler Imperial P.R.R.—True Red	2.50	2.25
Confidence Pat. 1192—Pink Blend	2.25	2.00
Countess Vandal—Pink and Salmon	1.60	1.40
Crimson Glory—Deep Crimson	1.60	1.40
Eclipse Pat. 172—Golden Yellow	1.60	1.40
Forty-Niner Pat. 792—Oriental red & yellow	2.25	2.00
Golden Anniversary Pat. 806—Yellow, apricot	1.75	1.50
Golden Masterpiece Pat. 1284—Rich Gold Yellow	2.75	2.50
Golden Scepter Pat. 910—Golden Yellow	2.00	1.75
Good News Pat. 426—Apricot Pink	2.00	1.75
Helen Traubel Pat. 1048—Apricot Pink	2.75	2.50
Kaiserine Auguste Victoria Ivory White	1.60	1.40
Lowell Thomas Pat. 595—Deep Yellow	2.25	2.00
Love Song—Orange, gold shading	2.50	2.25
McGredy's Yellow—Buttercup Yellow	1.60	1.40
Mirandy Pat. 632—Garnet Red	2.25	2.00
Mme. Cochet-Cochet Pat. 129—Coppery Pink	1.60	1.40
Mme. Henri Guillot Pat. 337—Watermelon Red	2.00	1.75
Mojave Pat. 1176—Orange Blend	2.75	2.50
New Yorker Pat. 823—Fiery Red	2.25	2.00
Nocturne Pat. 713—Cardinal Red	2.25	2.00
Peace Pat. 591—Lemon Yellow, tinted pink	2.50	2.25
Pres. Eisenhower Pat. 1217—Red	2.25	2.00
Pres. Herbert Hoover—Varying Orange Shades	1.60	1.40
Queen Elizabeth Pat. 1259—Orchid Pink	2.50	2.25
Red Radiance—Clear even red	1.60	1.40
Rex Anderson Pat. 335—Pure White	1.75	1.50
Souer Therese—Chrome yellow	1.60	1.40
Sutter's Gold Pat. 885—Deep Orange, tinted red	2.25	2.00
Symphonie Pat. 958—Luscious pink, silvery tint	2.00	1.75
Talisman—Yellow & Copper	1.60	1.40
Tiffany P.A.F.—Warm clear pink	2.50	2.25
White Knight Pat. 1115—White	3.00	2.75

Everblooming Floribundas

Circus Pat. 1382—Orange, yellow, pink, red blend	2.50	2.25
Fashion Pat. 789—Coral Peach	2.00	1.75
Independence Pat. 1036—Spectrum Red	1.75	1.55
Jiminy Cricket P.A.F.—Coral Orange	2.00	1.75
Ma Perkins Pat. 1143—Pearl Pink	2.00	1.75
Pinocchio Pat. 484—Salmon Pink	1.75	1.55
Pinocchio, Red Pat. 812—Red	1.75	1.55
Spartan Pat. 1357—Orange red	2.75	2.40

Free Local Delivery. Iris and Roses Sent Prepaid on orders for \$5.00 or more, under \$5.00, please add 40c handling charge.

Low Prices for Fall Deliveries

Peonies are best transplanted in the Fall.

	Each	3 for
Duke of Verneville. White (M) -----	\$1.25	\$3.55
Eduhis Superba. Old Rose (E) -----	1.25	3.55
Felix Crousse. Ruby Red (M) -----	1.50	4.25
Festiva Maxima. Snowy-white (E) -----	1.25	3.55
Karl Rosenfield. Bright crimson (M) -----	1.25	3.55
Lora Dexheimer. Bright crimson (M) -----	1.50	4.25
M. Jules Elie. Glossy shell-pink (M) -----	1.25	3.55
Richard Carvel. Brilliant crimson (E) -----	1.50	4.25
Sarah Bernhardt. Soft pink (L) -----	1.50	4.25

Choicest Shade and Flowering Trees

NORWAY MAPLE

SHADE TREES

Acer—Norway Maple: 10-12 ft., 1½-1¾ in. Cal. -----	13.80
Acer—Red Maple: 10-12 ft., 1½-1¾ in. Cal. -----	15.30
Acer—Sugar Maple: 8-10 ft., 1¼-1½ in. Cal. -----	12.00
Acer—Crimson King: 6-8 branched ft., ¾-1 in. Cal. -----	10.00
8-10 ft., 1-1¼ in. Cal., Red foliage all summer, nicely branched -----	16.00
Quercus—Red Oak: 10-12 ft., 1¼-1½ in. Cal. -----	13.00
Quercus—Pin Oak: 10-12 ft., 1¼-1½ in. Cal. -----	12.00
Liquidamber—Sweet Gum: 8-10 ft., 1¼-1½ in. Cal. B&B	16.00
Platanus—Plane Tree: 10-12 ft., 1½-1¾ in. Cal. -----	16.00
Please write for Prices on Larger Sizes, including Red Oak Trees—4-5 in. Cal.	

FLOWERING TREES

	Each
Flowering Crab Apple—Six varieties to select from, 5-6 ft.	\$ 5.00
6-8 ft. _____	6.00
Mountain Ash—6-8 ft. _____	6.00
Dogwood—White—4-5 ft., B&B _____	9.00
Dogwood—Pink—4-5 ft., B&B _____	14.00
Fresh dug on order.	

DELIVERY

Evergreen Trees, Flowering Shrubs, Broad Leaf Plants, etc.
Free Delivery F.O.B. Lancaster, within three mile radius. Be-
yond three mile area, delivery 26c a mile.

5 or more of one variety less 10%

Favorite Flowering Shrubs

ALL-SEASON COLLECTION

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Bush Honeysuckle (Pink)	May Flowering, 18-24 in. ---	\$1.50
Clethra alnifolia (White)	July Flowering, 2-3 ft. -----	1.50
Cydonia Japanese Quince (Red)	May Flowering, 18-24 in. ---	1.50
Forsythia Linwood Gold (Yellow)	April Flowering, 24 in. -----	1.75
Hydrangea Pee Gee (White)	September Flowering, 2-3 ft. ---	1.50
Lilac Belle de Nancy (Soft Lilac)	May Flowering, 2-3 ft. -----	2.50
Spirea arguta (White)	April Flowering, 2-3 ft. -----	1.25
Spirea anthony waterer (Red)	June to Aug. Flg., 15-18 in. ---	1.50
Spirea van houttei (White)	May flowering, 2-3 ft. -----	1.50
Weigela Rosea (Pink Flowering)	2-3 ft. -----	1.50
5 Plants or More of One Variety Less 10% Discount		

Broad-Leaved Evergreen Plants

These splendid plants hold their bright green foliage all the year round and many varieties make a magnificent showing of bloom. Shaded situations are preferred by most of the varieties, giving them an added value in making them available for planting about the foundation of houses or shady corners. Free local delivery.

Among the most popular selections we offer the following for Fall planting:

Azaleas in five varieties from \$4.00 to \$6.00 each. Price ranges according to size and variety.

Rhododendron Hybrids; white, pink and rose.

15-18 in. \$7.50, 18-24 in. \$10.00, 2-2½ ft. \$13.00.

Red Varieties; \$1.00 additional, all sizes.

Rhododendron Catawbiense, rosy-purple. 18-24 in. \$7.00; 2-2½ ft. \$9.00.

Rhododendron Maximum Rosebay; pale rose.

18-24 in. \$5.50, 2-2½ ft. \$7.00, 2½-3 ft. \$8.50.

Mountain Laurel; 18-24 in. \$5.50, 24-30 in. \$7.50.

Ilex Roundleaf Holly; 12 in. \$3.00, 15 in. \$4.50, 18 in. \$5.00.

Andromeda; 12-15 in. \$5.00, 15-18 in. \$6.00.

Pyracantha Lalandi—Potted Plants; 18 in. \$3.00; 24 in. \$4.00,
2-3 ft. \$5.00.

All of the above plants are balled and burlapped.

5 or more of one variety less 10%

GOVERNMENT CERTIFIED PLANTS FURNISHED

Barr's "Will Grow" Plants are shipped anywhere under certificates from the U. S. Government and Penna. Dept. of Agriculture, showing them to have been thoroughly inspected and found free from insect pests and fungus diseases.

You are thus assured of receiving perfectly healthy, vigorous plants.

B. F. Barr & Son Nurseries, 1725 Marietta Ave., Lancaster, Pa.


ORDER BLANK

Name Date

Street or R. D., Express or Freight Office

Town **State**

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 If out of variety shall we substitute nearest variety of
equal or better value? _____ or return money _____

EVERGREEN SPECIALTIES

No other plants offer so much in value as Evergreens, giving as they do, enjoyment twelve months of the year. Then too, they can be used in so many interesting ways and make a lasting improvement to any property.

Arborvitae Pyramidalis 10-12 in. \$2.00; 2 ft. \$3.00; 3 ft. \$5.00
 Arborvitae Globosa 10-12 in. \$2.00; 15 in. \$2.75; 18 in. \$4.00
 Canadian Hemlock ----- 2 ft. \$5.00; 3 ft. \$7.50; 4 ft. \$9.00
 Juniper Pfitzer Spreading 18 in. \$3.00; 2 ft. \$4.00; 2½ ft. \$5.00

Juniper Purple Spreading 15 in. \$3.00; 18 in. \$3.50; 24 in. \$4.00
 Taxus Yew Upright ----- 18 in. \$4.00; 24 in. \$6.00; 3 ft. \$9.00
 Taxus Browni Ball shaped ----- 15 in. \$4.50; 18 in. \$6.00
 Norway Spruce ----- 18-24 in. \$3.50; 2-2½ ft. \$5.00

NOTE: Additional sizes of the above and other varieties, quoted on request.

Discount on quantity rate 10% on 5 Evergreens or more of one variety and size. All Evergreens Balled and Burlapped.

EVERGREEN GROUND COVER --- For Difficult, Shady Places

PACHYSANDRA (Spurge)

Under trees Pachysandra is the real answer to the problem of covering the bare ground with greenery. The glossy foliage is very attractive. Use 2 plants to 1 sq. ft. of the area to be covered.

Per 100 Per 1000

Rooted plants ----- \$10.00 \$ 90.00
 (ready in Sept.)
 2 yr. potted plants --- 15.00 140.00

ENGLISH IVY

The English Ivy is particularly effective used on banks, to edge walks and under trees, each pot containing two plants—a two-fold advantage. Plant 12 inches apart and you will soon have a carpet of green.

Large or Small Leaf

Per 10 Per 100

2½ in. potted plants -- \$2.00 \$18.00
 (two plants in each pot)
 25 Plants at the quoted 100 rate.

PERIWINKLE (Myrtle)

Not only is the Hardy Periwinkle a good ground cover under trees and on hillsides, but its pretty blue flowers also make an appeal. The glossy, evergreen foliage remains beautiful the year round.

Use 2 plants to 1 sq. ft. of area.

Strong, field-grown clumps Per 100
 (15 to 20 vines in clump) ---- \$11.00
 Potted plants ----- 18.00

Ground-cover plants should be planted before October 30 to avoid the danger of freezing out during winter if planted later in the Fall, unless given winter protection after the ground freezes, to prevent freezing out.

HEDGE PLANTS

California Privet

Plant 6 inches to foot apart	Per 10	Per 100
18-24 in., 2-yr. -----	\$ 2.80	\$24.00
2-3 ft., 3-yr. -----	4.00	35.00

Japanese Barberry

Plant 18 inches apart	10	100
15-18 in., 3-yr. -----	\$6.00	\$50.00
18-24 in. -----	8.00	70.00

Red Barberry

	10	100
15-18 in., bushy plants -----	\$ 9.00	\$80.00
18-24 in., bushy plants -----	10.00	90.00

Evergreen Hedges

Canadian Hemlock. The Graceful Hedge.
 Taxus Hicks. The Ideal Hedge. Adapted for shade or sun.

Pyramidal Arborvitae. The popular Hedge.
 Plume Retinospora. The satisfactory evergreen for windbreaks and hedges. The Retinospora are on the bargain counter as long as they last.

SEE SPECIAL OFFER

Please ask for Quantity Rates. Page 1.



BARBERRY HEDGE

Hardy Chrysanthemums Visit Our Display of Garden Hardy Mums This Fall

Thirty varieties in our trial garden for your inspection and enjoyment. Many new varieties.

The greatest number of varieties will be in bloom beginning early October until hard frost.

Plants are field-grown clumps this fall \$1.00 each. Your choice of variety and color.

You are always welcome at Barr's for relaxation, information and inspiration.

Orders taken for potted plants for Spring 1958 delivery.

B. F. BARR & SON NURSERIES

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LANDSCAPE SERVICE

You will find that many of the rules for landscaping are the same as those used for purchasing clothing or designing clothing—you want to achieve an effect best suited for your needs. In landscaping however, you work with living plants, trees, shrubbery, garden accessories, fences, arbors, etc., which are not easily tried on or moved around

after they are planted. They must be placed right at the outset and a study of your needs are important before you start. We are prepared to give you the benefit of our long experience—to achieve the best results from your investment.

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